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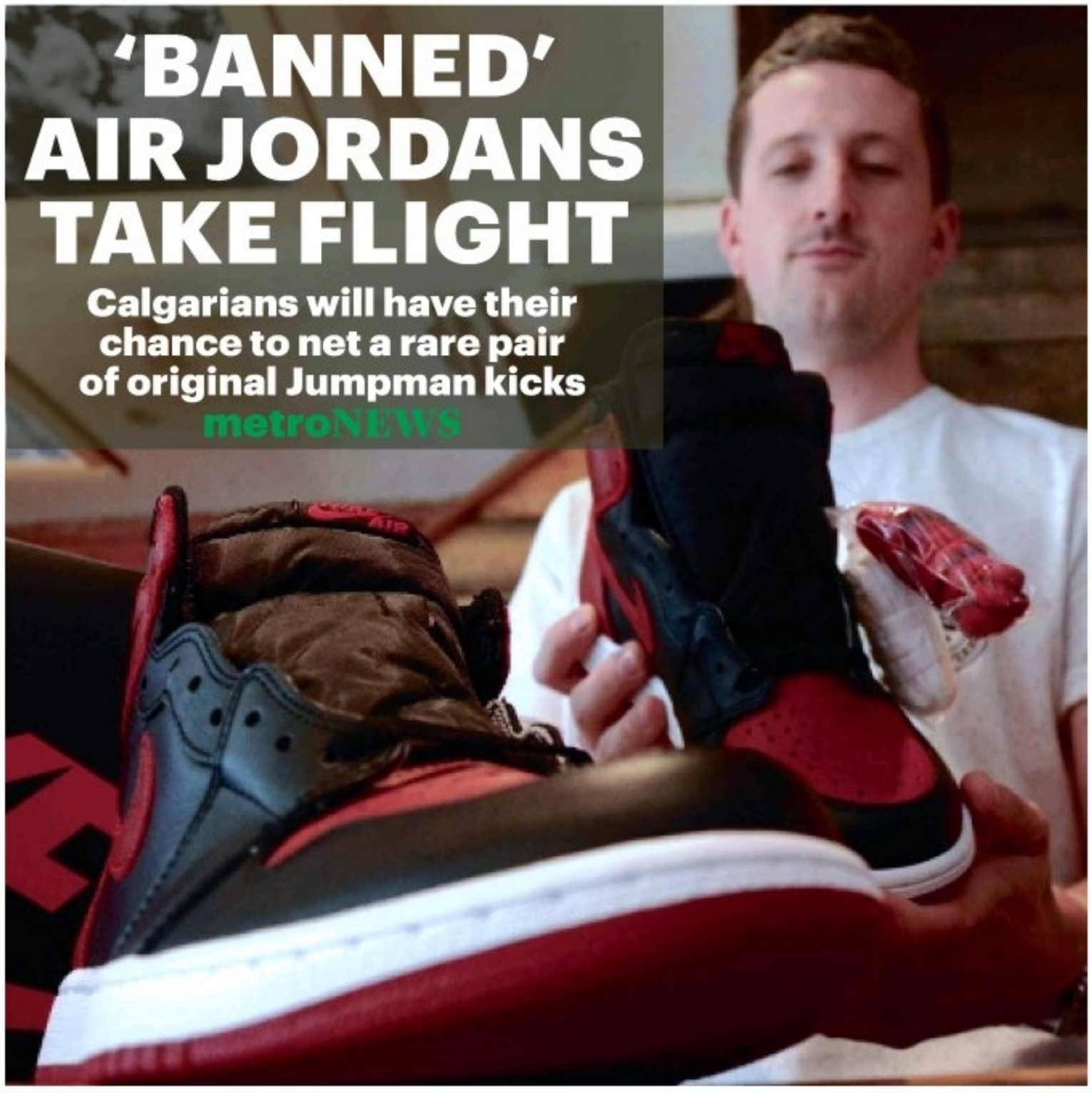

Dissatisfied force: Survey

POLICE

Poll indicates officers feel they are overworked, understaffed

Lucie Edwardson
Metro | Calgary

All's not well with Calgary police as job satisfaction indicators have dropped, according to an internal survey obtained by Metro.

Results from the 2015 annual employee survey conducted by the Calgary Police Commission (CPC) into Calgary Police Service (CPS) member satisfaction shows 58 per cent of those who took the survey felt overworked and that they dealt with too heavy a workload, 23 per cent said they were satisfied with available training in their job and only 14 per cent were satisfied with effectiveness of communication within the CPS.

Only 12 per cent of respondents agreed morale was good at CPS, the lowest in seven years.

Earlier this year the CPC released results publicly from their citizen engagement survey indicating that 97 per cent of Calgarians were confident in CPS.

CPC chair Howie Shikaze said they attempt to strike a balance between the need for transparency and the expectation of employees to have a safe place to provide feedback.

Shikaze said that both the CPC and CPS take the results seriously and have already taken steps to address some of the concerns raised.

Howard Burns, Calgary police union head, wasn't surprised by the survey results, as 2015 was a transition year for CPS. They said goodbye to one chief and welcomed another, as well as received minimal funding increases for an ever-growing city.

"I wouldn't anticipate there being a huge improvement in this year's survey," he said.

But, in an article written by Sgt. Clint Grabowski, published last week in the CPS 10-4 magazine, which was obtained by Metro, he said the issue is obvious to him: understaffing on the front lines.

"The CPS currently has 36 per cent of sworn members assigned to patrol activities," he said.

"In District 1, over the past couple of summers, being able to put out 50 per cent of a 10 man team was considered a success," he said.

One frontline CPS officer, who asked to remain anonymous, said the results of this survey could be why there is an increase in use-of-force incidents.

"Cops are working 12 hours with no breaks," he said. "They're stressed and frazzled."

Veteran cosplayer immortalized on special edition Marvel comic metroNEWS

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Calgary cosplayer hits cover of Marvel comic

COSTUMES

Alana Waffles featured on a special edition of Gwenpool

Aaron Chatha
Metro | Calgary

Marvel Comics' Gwenpool has never looked so real — especially now that Calgary cosplayer Alana Waffles will appear on the cover of issue No. 6 when it hits comic stands in October.

"I'm on a comic book cover!" exclaimed Waffles. "I'm going to carry it around, carry it in my purse and say 'look, look! This is me.'"

Waffles, who you might have seen walking around as a Pokémon earlier this year at Comic Expo, uploaded pictures of her Gwenpool outfit online.

Gwenpool is a fairly new comic character, originally created as a mash-up of Gwen Stacy and Deadpool, who now has her own ongoing series. Only a few issues in, the character has already teamed up with comic detective Howard the Duck and told the comic book version of Dr. Strange that Benedict Cumberbatch would be playing him in the movie. It's a pretty weird comic, but the unique outfit and zany humour made Waffles an instant fan.

"She doesn't quite have the sense of right and wrong like everyone else does," said Waffles. "But she's light-hearted and kind of dorky, which I think all of us can relate to."

Waffles went through four iterations of the costume, remaking the whole thing entirely each time — slowly getting better and more comic-accurate. It's made of spandex and the first version took about three weeks to complete.

By the final version, Waffles was an expert working with the fabric, and it only took 10 hours to complete — at which point she posted the images to her Facebook page.

Someone at Marvel noticed, and reached out to Waffles about a potential photo shoot during her visit to Comic Con in San Diego.

Waffles said it was all very secretive, and it took a few more emails for Marvel to reveal the photo would be for their second wave of Cosplay Covers — a series in which cosplayers replace the drawn characters on the pages of popular comics books.

"With her spunky and fun personality, Alana Waffles was the right choice to help bring Gwenpool to life on this year's Cosplay Cover Variants," said Judy Stephens, digital media producer at Marvel.

Waffles' issue of Gwenpool will hit stands on Oct. 5.

Alana Waffles has been cosplaying since she was 17 and has a steadily growing fan base online.
AARON CHATHA/METRO

TRANSPORTATION

Cabbies lobby for plates

Mathew Silver
For Metro | Calgary

A contingent of taxi drivers attended a meeting for the Taxi and Limousine Advisory Committee on Wednesday and weren't afraid to let their voices be heard.

The general message from the roughly 30 taxi drivers in attendance: we want our plates.

According to the 2016 Civic Census, Calgary's total population is up 4,256 residents from 2015, which supports the addition of 11 taxi plate licenses (TPLs). The number of plates that the city needs is based on the taxi demand ration formula, which takes into account the population above and below 65 years old.

While the addition of 11 TPLs is a positive for drivers, there are an additional 318 plates pending release or pending approval, leaving the audience on edge.

The release of the plates will be determined at meetings over the next couple of months, but Roger Richard, a representative for Associated Taxi, demanded that the licenses be released.

"Holding back these licenses is really going to hurt the industry on the long term," Richard said. "You don't wait until you drown to learn how to swim."

Richard said that issuing the plates now would allow his cohorts to grab fares during the lucrative winter months.

The committee will meet again Oct. 5.

Brian Jean made a quick apology after making a bad joke about being unable to "beat" Premier Rachel Notley. THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

Jean firmly in firing line after Notley assault 'joke'

FORT MCMURRAY

Olympic hero is among critics as Opposition chief apologizes

One of Canada's Olympic medallists is calling out Alberta's Opposition leader for a comment about physically assaulting Premier Rachel Notley.

"It drives me nuts," Jen Kish, captain of Canada's women's sevens rugby team, said Wednesday.

"We want the world to grow in the right direction. We want to set a good example for the younger generation.

"Comments like that make us go backwards."

Kish was one of many critics denouncing the remark made by Wildrose Leader Brian Jean at a town hall meeting in Fort McMurray on Tuesday night.

Jean was responding to concerns and complaints about the level of seniors care and housing.

"Let's be honest. I've been beating this drum for 10, 11, 12 years now, so I will continue to beat it. I promise. But it is against the law to beat Rachel Notley, so ..." he said before being cut off by laughter and applause.

> It drives me nuts. We want the world to grow in the right direction. Comments like that make us go backwards.
> Jen Kish, Canadian rugby sevens captain

Moments later, Jean backtracked, saying the premier has been accommodating on the issue by switching the policy of the previous Tory government.

"Now, I have to compliment that woman and I shouldn't have said what I said because I truly admire her for that," he said.

"That was a very practical thing and not necessarily in her best interest, because she could have easily just let that go as it was and blamed the previous government. She did not, so I think Rachel Notley deserves a round of applause."

Jean was not available for comment Wednesday, but his party issued a three-line statement from him.

"Last night during my town hall I made an inappropriate attempt at humour that I promptly apologized for," said Jean.

"Jokes of this nature are never acceptable, and I hold myself to a higher standard. I have reached out to Premier Notley to sincerely apologize directly to her."

Notley was not available for comment. But Stephanie McLean, minister of the status of women, spoke to reporters after a legislature event honouring Kish, who hails from Edmonton, and led the rugby team to a bronze medal at the Rio Games.

McLean said Jean's comments were "totally unacceptable in this day and age.... Regardless of whether it's serious or a joke, it's totally out of touch with what Albertans want to see from their leaders." THE CANADIAN PRESS

FENTANYL

Praise for White's drug plan

Lucie Edwardson
Metro | Calgary

The Calgary Police Service is praising the actions of Health Canada and Senator Vern White who have made swift action to control chemicals used to create the deadly opioid fentanyl that has gripped Calgary for nearly two years.

On Tuesday, Health Canada made the announcement they were committed to take action to address the national opioid crisis by proposing to move forward with plants to restrict six chemicals used in the production of fentanyl, as put forward by White's Bill S-225.

"It's good news," said CPS deputy chief Trevor Daroux. "The issue around fentanyl misuse is a complex one requiring multiple strategies across multiple disciplines, and this is an important strategy in preventing the domestic production of fentanyl."

Alberta's minister of justice and solicitor general, Kathleen Ganley, also praised the proposed restrictions.

"This important move reflects Alberta's advocacy for changes at the federal level, and we thank the Government of Canada for their partnership," said Ganley. "Our government asked for this last fall after our police partners, the Alberta Association of Chiefs of Police (AACP) passed resolutions relating to limiting access to the precursor drugs used to produce fentanyl."

During the first six months of 2016, 53 people in Alberta died from apparent drug overdoses related to fentanyl.

This compares with 139 people who died of fentanyl-related overdoses in the first half of 2015.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Opening the page on council's work with some comic relief

Brodie Thomas
Metro | Calgary

A Calgary artist is giving people who are confused about council operations a bit of comic relief.

Dani DeBoice, chair of the mayor's civic engagement committee, said they've been hosting workshops called City Hall 101 — which helps people understand how municipal government operates.

They were looking for different ways to get their message out there, and they stumbled upon the notion of illustrating instructions in the style of a comic.

"It was a way to reach out to citizens and engage them further, to do it in a fun, easily accessible way so that they can be more comfortable in coming into their city hall," said DeBoice.

The comic — which can be found on the city's website — explains in 15 panels how any citizen can give a five-minute presentation at a committee meeting.

Calgarian Sam Hester was commissioned to draw the comic. She has found a niche in illustrating concepts for businesses and organizations.

"It's nothing new, but in academia or in grown-up bureaucratic organizations, nobody thought you could use visuals," said Hester.

"Increasingly it's becoming more of a mainstream technique for drawing people's attention.

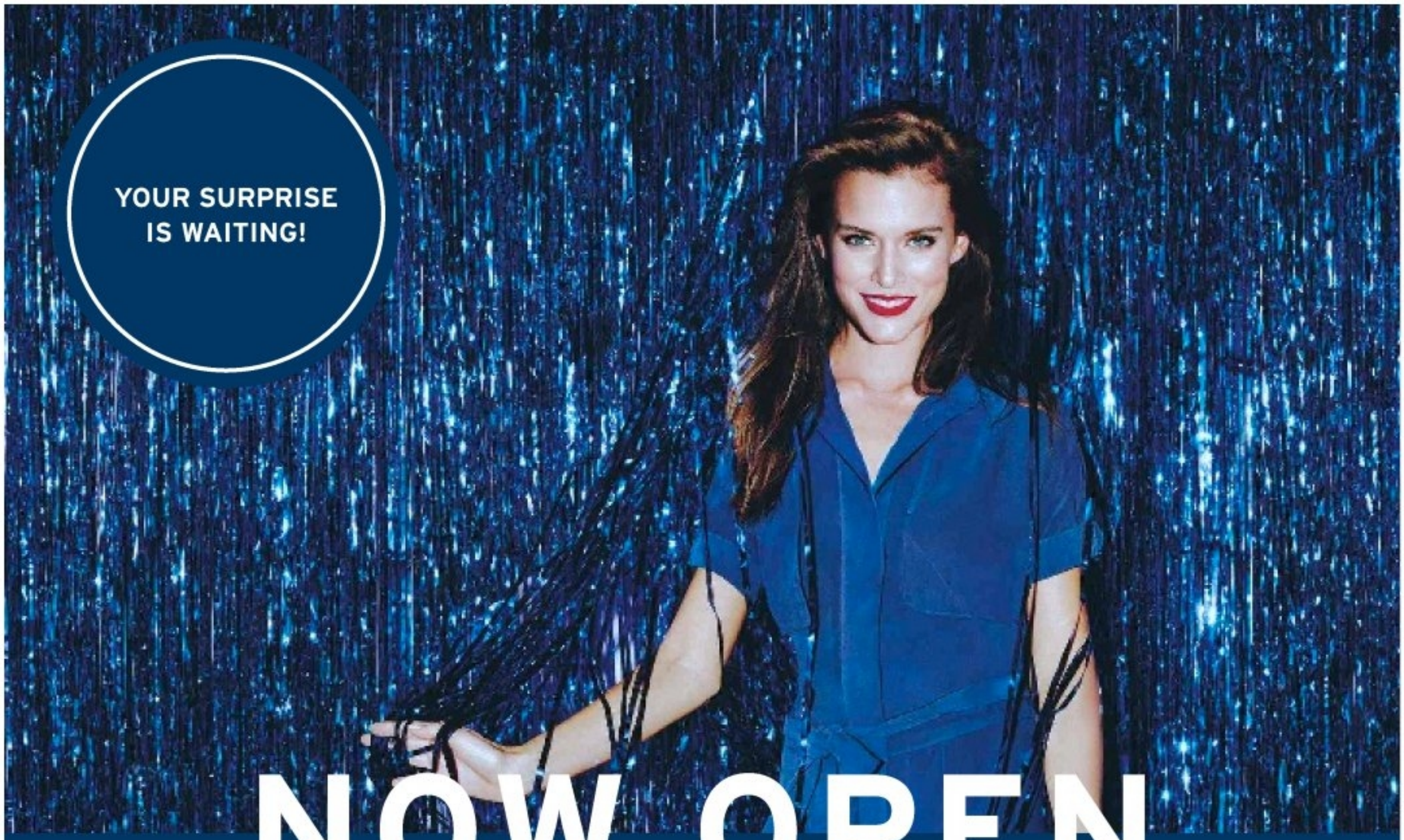
> It's a way to reach out to citizens and engage them.
> Dani DeBoice

"I think partly because of those popular YouTube animated whiteboard videos."

Hester said she visited one of the rooms where committee meetings are held and took photos from various angles.

"The city hall team was very helpful to me to depict exactly how it would seem to the people who were going to be making that kind of presentation. So if they saw the comic strip they might have sort of a practice run."

Sam Hester works on one of her latest commissions for another municipal government. She recently completed a how-to comic on presenting to committees. BRODIE THOMAS/METRO



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CHALLENGE

No LGBTQ policy, no public funds: Petition

Alex Boyd
Metro | Edmonton

With public money comes public rules, says a petition launched Tuesday that argues schools that don't create LGBTQ policies should lose government funding.

Advocate Dave Beninger created the petition after Pastor Brian Coldwell, who heads the Independent Baptist Christian Education Society that runs Meadow and Harvest Baptist Academies in Parkland County, told media his schools wouldn't create policies or allow gay-straight alliances.

In its first day the petition gathered over 500 signatures.

"The petition was specifically started to make sure the ministry is aware of the overwhelming opposition to someone like Brian Coldwell receiving substantial tax dollars to provide unsafe spaces to students," Beninger said.

Coldwell said previously there wasn't enough public consultation done about LGBTQ policies and requiring his schools to have them amounts to religious persecution. He declined an interview Wednesday but said he'll respond to the petition later in the week.

Beninger disagrees that this is about religion.

"If you want to accept public money into your institution, that comes with strings attached to them," he said. "As a society, we have decided certain rules are going to be implemented in order to ensure that LGBTQ students are safe at the schools that we legally obligate them to show up to."

According to Alberta Education, the Independent Baptist Christian Education Society received almost $2.5 million for the 2015/16 school year, almost $2 million of which was for home schoolers they supervise.

Education Minister David Eggen has a long road ahead in ensuring Bill 10 compliance. CANADIAN PRESS

Bill 10 battle just starting

HUMAN RIGHTS

Non-compliant schools may lead minister to develop law

Lucie Edwardson
Metro | Calgary

Alberta's Education minister might have a long legal road ahead of him in the enforcement of LGBTQ policies his ministry mandated Alberta school boards to create, according to a provincial advocate.

When pressed Tuesday for answers on dealing with non-compliant boards, neither Education minister David Eggen nor his press secretary could provide specifics.

This after two Edmonton schools refused to comply and two boards were given failing grades in a report from Public Interest Alberta.

"The minister has options if boards refuse to comply and we will be assessing those as we move forward," said press secretary Larissa Liepins.

"I can't say what those options are specifically at this point. We are still assessing."

Joel French, executive director for Public Interest Alberta, said he believes the minister has two options in how to deal with incompliant schools or boards.

In the short term, French said the minister could take legal action against dissenters in order to make them comply with the law.

"I can imagine that would be quite the task to make all of that happen any time soon at least," he said.

French said the cleaner solution, but also the one that will take more time, is for the minister to introduce legislation ensuring students have the supports and protections in their school — no matter where they go or what board governs them.

"That would make sure that on top of what the school boards have introduced for policies that all schools would have to follow that provincial law," he said.

French said the ministry's decision to work collaboratively with the school boards on this matter was rooted in good intention, but unfortunately not all schools or boards are complying.

"We're talking basic human rights that are guaranteed in provincial law, so to leave that flexible for school boards I think was a big risk at the beginning and now we're seeing the result of that and the minister is going to have to take action," he said.

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Ex-Olympian looking at potential job options

SPORTS

Badminton player to focus on his music career

Mathew Silver
For Metro | Calgary

Martin Giuffre played two games of badminton at the Olympics before being eliminated from the tournament. He said he still appreciates the chance to play at that level. MATHEW SILVER/FOR METRO

For some Olympians, four years of training can boil down to only several hours in the spotlight. For Calgary-born badminton player Martin Giuffre, it was more like a lifetime of training.

Giuffre, who has been playing badminton competitively since he was nine years old, was eliminated from Rio 2016 with a record of 1-1; a long journey to play just a pair of games for the 25-year-old.

Despite a fast exit, Giuffre was optimistic about his Olympic experience. He said as recently as London 2012, badminton was a straight knockout draw, meaning that players weren't even guaranteed a second game.

"I was disappointed to have not been the player progressing out of the pool, but overall I was happy with my performance and finishing 1-1," said Giuffre.

Fortunately for him, he has myriad options to fall back on — almost to the point of parody.

Not only does Giuffre have an interest in attending medical school — he also plans to switch his full-time focus to a career in music production. (Imagine having the luxury of putting your Olympic and medical school aspirations on hold for your music career).

> "I was disappointed to have not been the player progressing out of the pool, but overall I was happy with my performance. Martin Giuffre

Giuffre is a member of Far Out, an electronic music group that produces veritable club bangers. He said that he's already been supported by some of the biggest DJs in the world, which encouraged him to pursue music as a career.

While there is already buzz for Tokyo 202, Giuffre doesn't plan to make a decision until the qualifying period begins three years from now.

Looking back on Rio he said he has no regrets, but might have focused more on his strength — both mental and physical — with his coach Bryan Moody.

Moody said Giuffre would "eat, sleep, and drink badminton," in preparation for Rio, and said his ability to prioritize will make him successful in any endeavour, be it music or badminton.

Not even the conditions in Rio, which according to Giuffre were overblown by the media, could get under his skin.

"There wasn't one time throughout the games where I felt uncomfortable or vulnerable," he said.

You sort of get the feeling when it comes to Giuffre that not much can.

CRIME

Officer injured in arrest

A police officer was injured Tuesday while arresting the suspect in a June bank robbery.

Jenna Margaret Interman, 30, was arrested in northeast Calgary on Aug. 30 following a traffic stop.

Interman was wanted in connection with a June 23 bank robbery in the 8200 block of Centre Street NE.

She is charged with robbery and possession of a weapon, among other charges.

Interman was in the vehicle with a man who was also arrested. During his arrest, a police officer was injured.

Clayton McKay, 34, is charged with several counts of possession of stolen property, two counts of resisting arrest, and five counts of unlawfully being at large, among several others. METRO

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Woman escapes house fire

A woman escaped unharmed from a northwest Calgary house fire Wednesday afternoon.

The Calgary Fire Department was dispatched to reports of a house fire in the 200 block of Edenwold Drive NW around 2:30 p.m. Wednesday.

When they arrived, crews saw smoke from the rear door and thicker smoke from a basement window.

Crews then entered the home and proceeded to the basement to extinguish the remaining fire.

Working smoke alarms were activated in the home and a single occupant escaped.

The lone female occupant was assessed by Alberta Health Services but not treated. METRO

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RELATIONSHIPS

NTWRK sends reminders to catch up with 'middle circle'

Aaron Chatha
Metro | Calgary

Three months ago you met with Tom, and he told you his wife was pregnant.

This week you meet with Tom again and ask him what's new in life — forgetting that he's about to have a baby.

Don't be that guy. Nobody wants to be that guy, and Joshua Pinter wants to ensure no one ever has to be that guy again with his new app, NTWRK.

It's a pretty straightforward program: NTWRK accesses your contacts list and reminds you to catch up with those people in your life you don't see too often — but still like to reach out to every now and then.

"In your life (there's) 15 people that you're constantly in touch with, and that includes family," Pinter explained.

"On the outside are hundreds of Twitter followers, LinkedIn connections and Facebook friends. Then there's this middle circle of people you see once a year, once every six months."

> "Has anything bad ever happened from a relationship getting better and stronger?" Joshua Pinter

You can set up the app to shoot out a reminder to call so-and-so every few months or years.

One of the main features of the app is the ability to include notes with your reminder, such as what you talked about last time you met with that person.

"Next time you reach out to them, you can ask, hey, how was that exam? How's the second trimester?" Pinter said, adding the feature helps reduce the amount of time you might spend catching up, and have stronger, fuller conversations.

"All the good things in life come out of relationships," he said. "Has anything bad ever happened from a relationship getting better and stronger?"

The app is currently available on iOS and Android devices.

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Advocate Cindy Blackstock speaks at an international child abuse and neglect conference in Calgary on Wednesday.
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FIRST NATIONS

Advocate waits for feds to take action

A leading advocate for First Nations children and families says she would like to see a lot less talk and a lot more action from the federal government.

Cindy Blackstock's organization was one of two that brought a child welfare complaint to the Canadian Human Rights Tribunal, which ruled in January the existing system discriminated against First Nations children.

Blackstock told an international conference on child abuse and neglect in Calgary that the Canadian government has known how to help First Nations children for nearly a century but never had the will to do anything about it.

She says promises from Prime Minister Justin Trudeau mean nothing until something is actually done.

Indigenous Affairs said in January it has begun working with First Nations child welfare agencies to reform the system and to eliminate any discrimination in levels of service.

Blackstock says any progress that has been made in the past year is not significant.

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Rare Jordans get another run

RETAIL

Limited release of Nike shoes expected to draw crowds

Aaron Chatha
Metro | Calgary

Calgarians are one step closer to being like Mike with the re-release of the legendary Air Jordan 1 shoes — which, as legend has it, were banned from the NBA court in 1984.

The retro'd black and red Air Jordan 1, aka Bred 1, inspired by the Air Ship, will be available in limited quantities on Saturday, and stores like Less 17 are expecting shoe aficionados to line up overnight to get their hands on a pair.

According to Less 17's resident Jordan expert, Cory Brown, the original shoes are surrounded by three decades worth of myth and legend, which has led to their coveted status as a collector's item.

Here's the popular story: in 1984, Michael Jordan took to the courts wearing the black and red shoes and was told they didn't comply with NBA uniform rules.

Jordan was fined $5,000 for wearing them. The legend gets a little fuzzier here. Perhaps he paid the fine once, perhaps he paid it a few times — or perhaps Nike paid the fine for him every game, because it was great advertising for them.

"Nike kind of spun it like, it was banned because it was too good — it made Jordan jump too high," said Brown. "When, in reality, it just didn't have enough white on them for the uniform rules."

The shoe is rarely re-issued, and each unique version comes out in limited numbers.

Brown said people have already begun plans to camp out overnight for a pair — or try their luck with bribing an employee. One collector came in and offered the store an additional $200 for a pair, but was promptly turned away.

The shoes themselves are made with great care, according to Brown.

The Air Jordan 1 shoes were purportedly banned from the NBA in 1984 due to their colour. AARON CHATHA/METRO

"A lot of Nike stuff comes factory laced," he explained. "But, because the original ones didn't come that way, these come unlaced. Its super, super nerdy, but a lot of fun.

"These are the nicest quality Jordans I've seen in a long time."

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A Miracle on Christmas Lake stars Will Sasso and Kristian Jackson. COURTESY JAYSON THERRIEN

Festival films announced

ENTERTAINMENT

Filmmakers ready to debut A Miracle on Christmas Lake

Aaron Chatha
Metro | Calgary

The Calgary International Film Festival put the spotlight on homegrown talent Wednesday when it announced which Canadian films would be at this year's festival.

Producer Jayson Therrien and director John Kissack's film A Miracle on Christmas Lake — which will have its world premiere at CIFF — represents the end of a 10-year journey to make a feature.

Kissack said a decade ago they started planning a feature film — but ended up spending the years cutting their teeth on short films and web series instead.

After having difficulty selling a completely unrelated film, the pair attended a film festival in Banff to see what distributors were looking for.

The answers they got were teenage horror or Christmas family films.

"I think I called Shaun (the screenwriter) from the festival and asked him, what do you think about adding a Christmas angle to The Night Pond?" said Kissack.

Since then, their project about a 16-year-old and a magical hockey rink gained major steam — even attracting the talents of Will Sasso of MadTV.

"He's really collaborative, he was funny, respectful and nice — I really would enjoy working with him again," said Therrien.

They said they'll definitely be celebrating after audiences finally get a chance to see the film — as likely will the film makers between other Canadian festival selections, like Window Horses. Starring Sandra Oh, it's about an aspiring Chinese-Canadian poet whose only wish in life is to live in Paris.

Other highlights include psychological thriller Lavender, starring Abbie Cornish, and Below Her Mouth, following an intense fledgling romance between two women.

For the complete list of films at this year's CIFF, visit calgaryfilm.com.

HEALTH CARE

Alberta, doctors agree to make changes

Alberta and the group representing the province's doctors have agreed to amend their existing agreement to stress shared responsibility in providing health care while saving money.

The tentative deal was reached after months of talks between the government and the Alberta Medical Association.

It must still be ratified by the province's 10,000 physicians.

The proposal would make changes to a master agreement that doesn't expire until 2018.

The changes include a plan to put doctors in communities that need them and to improve primary care and information sharing.

It also aims to compensate doctors for time and quality of care given to patients — not just for the number of services provided.

"It is important to have a co-operative relationship between physicians and government to achieve fiscal stability while still maintaining access and quality," Dr. Carl Nohr, president of the Alberta Medical Association, said in a release Wednesday.

"Doctors hold positions of privilege and great responsibility in our province, and play an essential role in the health and well-being of all Albertans," Health Minister Sarah Hoffman said in the same release.

"They have shown a willingness to partner with the government in developing solutions that will slow down the growth in health spending and improve health services for patients over the long term."

It's expected that the medical association will hold a vote on the proposal by mid-October after explaining it to its members.

The two sides have also agreed to start talks right away on the master agreement instead of waiting until negotiations that were set for next year. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Free-trade talks hit snag in Beijing

MEETING

China has been urging Canada to begin negotiations

Prime Minister Justin Trudeau views a guard of honour during a ceremony on Wednesday in Beijing. GETTY IMAGES

Formal free-trade talks between Canada and China have yet to proceed because of snags over labour, the environment and concerns linked to Chinese state-owned enterprises, says Ottawa's envoy to Beijing.

Ambassador Guy Saint-Jacques highlighted those sticking points Wednesday after Chinese Premier Li Keqiang said Canada and China would soon launch a feasibility study on an eventual free trade deal.

Li spoke to reporters through a translator after meeting with Prime Minister Justin Trudeau. Asked about the remarks, Saint-Jacques denied that the two sides had agreed to begin formal negotiations.

But Saint-Jacques, who accompanied Trudeau at meetings Wednesday with Li and later with President Xi Jinping, did share some details of the prime minister's position on the matter.

"The prime minister said that the approach that Canada takes when it comes to a free trade agreement is that it must include a number of important items — he mentioned two political and two economic issues," Saint-Jacques said.

On the political side, he said it was important for Trudeau that modern free trade deals include chapters on labour and on the environment.

Saint-Jacques said the prime minister also made it clear that any deal with China must "address the impact of state-owned enterprises" and procurement.

"And as you know, those areas are problematic," he said.

"I would say that a lot more work needs to be done on those areas. I would say the prime minister was quite clear on this."

Takeovers of Canadian firms by Chinese state-owned enterprises have proved highly controversial in the past. The concerns led the former Conservative government to restrict state-owned Chinese investment in Alberta's oilsands. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Chinese Premier Li Keqiang shakes hands with Prime Minister Justin Trudeau following a news conference in Beijing on Wednesday. ADRIAN WYLD/THE CANADIAN PRESS

PROTECTION

'Gaps' put children at risk of online exploitation: Study

There are "serious gaps" — in resources, training and research — in efforts to protect young people from online sexual exploitation, warns a study prepared for the federal government.

It means "much more still needs to be done" to ensure the safety of vulnerable children, especially in regions that lack the people and programming to make a difference, says the examination of 60 public-sector and non-profit agencies across the country.

The study was completed in March for Public Safety Canada by an Ottawa consulting firm.

Public Safety commissioned the research to build on its work against online exploitation and "ensure that federal investments are targeted at the areas of greatest need," the study said.

It followed an internal department memo in February that warned of insufficient police resources to keep pace with the burgeoning threat to children from online sexual predators. THE CANADIAN PRESS

RESOURCES

- Cybertip.ca, a national tip line to report suspected online sexual abuse of children, has seen increases in reporting.
- The study found a "fairly good mix" of programs and services across Canada dedicated to fighting cyberexploitation, but resources "are being strained."

POLITICS

Tories, NDP seize on GDP fall to slam Liberal government

The Opposition Conservatives and the NDP seized on Wednesday's news of grim second-quarter economic growth as evidence that the Liberal government's election promises of jobs and prosperity are falling well short of expectations.

The economy recorded its worst performance in seven years during the quarter, Statistics Canada said Wednesday.

Real gross domestic product fell at an annualized rate of 1.6 per cent in the quarter, largely because of the huge wildfires that levelled parts of Fort McMurray, Alta.

It's bad news for a government that campaigned on growing the economy with deficit spending and boosting the middle class. That prescription isn't working, the Tories say.

"This is the biggest drop in GDP since the end of the Great Recession," said Phil McColeman, Conservative deputy finance critic. "The Liberal government promised Canadians that if it borrowed tens of billions of dollars, it could grow the economy and create jobs. In reality, the Liberals have failed to deliver results for middle-class families, who instead are left with higher-taxes, fewer job opportunities and a shrinking economy." THE CANADIAN PRESS

U.S. presidential candidate Donald Trump delivers a joint press conference with Mexican President Enrique Peña Nieto in Mexico City on Wednesday. Trump was in Mexico to meet its president, in a move aimed at showing that despite his hardline opposition to illegal immigration he is no close-minded xenophobe. AFP/GETTY IMAGES

Trump, Peña Nieto talk wall

U.S. ELECTION

Mexico visit an attempt to paint candidate in a different light

On Mexican soil for the first time as the Republican presidential nominee, a firm but measured Donald Trump defended the right of the United States to build a massive border wall along its southern flank, standing up for the centrepiece of his immigration plan in a country where he is widely despised.

But within hours of Trump's visit, a dispute arose over the most contentious part of the billionaire's plans to secure the U.S. southern border — his insistence that Mexico must pay to build that wall.

When answering questions from adjacent lecterns before a Mexican flag after his meeting at the official residence of the country's president, Enrique Peña Nieto, Trump said Wednesday the two men didn't discuss who would pay for a cost of construction pegged in the billions.

Silent at that moment, Peña Nieto later tweeted, "At the start of the conversation with Donald Trump I made it clear that Mexico will not pay for the wall."

With the meeting held behind closed doors, it was impossible to know who was telling the truth. But the difference in how Trump and Peña Nieto recalled their talk was an example of the political risk taken on by two unpopular politicians who arrived at the meeting having spent months quarrelling from afar.

The trip and the later dispute, arriving 10 weeks before America's presidential Election Day, came just hours before Trump was to deliver a highly anticipated speech in Arizona about illegal immigration. That has been a defining issue of his presidential campaign, but also one on which he's appeared to waver in recent days.

Trump stayed on script after the meeting, reading a statement from notes and politely answering shouted questions from reporters about his promise to force Mexico to pay for a wall along the border between the two countries.

TRUMP'S SPEECH

Seeking to end confusion over his aggressive but recently muddled language on immigration, Donald Trump vowed Wednesday night in his long-awaited immigration policy speech to remove millions of people living in the country illegally if he becomes president.

- Trump warned that failure to do so would jeopardize the "well-being of the American people."
- But he didn't address what he would do about millions more who might remain under his approach.

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"We did discuss the wall. We didn't discuss payment of the wall," Trump said.

Writing later on Twitter, Peña Nieto said the subject was among the first things the men discussed. He has for months said "there is no scenario" under which Mexico would pay for the wall. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

IN BRIEF

Brazil's president ousted

Brazil's Senate voted Wednesday to remove President Dilma Rousseff from office, the culmination of a fight that paralyzed the nation and exposed deep rifts among its people.

While Rousseff's ouster was widely expected, the decision was a key chapter in a colossal political struggle. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SCIENCE

Fossils may be oldest signs of life on Earth

Scientists have found what they think is the oldest fossil on Earth, a remnant of life from 3.7 billion years ago when Earth's skies were orange and its oceans green.

In a newly melted part of Greenland, Australian scientists found the leftover structure from a community of microbes that lived on an ancient sea floor, according to a study in Wednesday's journal Nature.

The discovery shows life may have formed quicker and easier than once thought, about half a billion years after Earth formed. And that may also give hope for life forming elsewhere, such as Mars, said study co-author Martin VanKranendonk.

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Industrial milk going up again

FOOD

Second hike in a year likely to raise price of yogurt, cheese

Restaurateurs are crying foul over a second industrial milk price increase this year set to take effect Thursday, which they say will likely lead to higher food prices.

In July, the Canadian Dairy Commission decided to raise the price of industrial milk — which is processed into yogurt, ice cream, cheese and butter — by 2.76 per cent. That's on top of a 2.2 per cent hike that occurred in February.

It's the first time the CDC has increased prices twice in one year since 2008. The latest hike is being introduced because of a "very unique and unexpected situation," Benoit Basillais, CDC's chief of policy and economics, said in an email.

Basillais said the hikes came because producer revenues "decreased rapidly" last fall, in part due to a decrease in global demand from importing countries and changing consumer preferences — and revenues did not stabilize by early spring as anticipated.

Basillais added that the move was intended to be "an advance" of the CDC's December price decision for next year, though he said it's premature to say there will be no increase next year.

While the hike in prices may provide a reprieve for producers, it's likely to put a burden on restaurateurs who must decide whether their customers can stomach higher prices.

It seems likely diners will end up paying more, according to Pierre Cadieux, vice-president of federal and Quebec government relations for Restaurants Canada, a not-for-profit association representing 30,000 businesses in the restaurant and food-service industry.

"That (price hike) has to be passed on to the consumer somehow," he said. "So, it's reflected in our menu prices. It's reflected in changes to the menu."

The cost of food that consists of industrial milk may increase or restaurateurs may instead remove some menu items, Cadieux suggested. Milkshakes, he said, are the perfect example of an item disappearing as few consumers are willing to pay the price shops charge for the diner staple.

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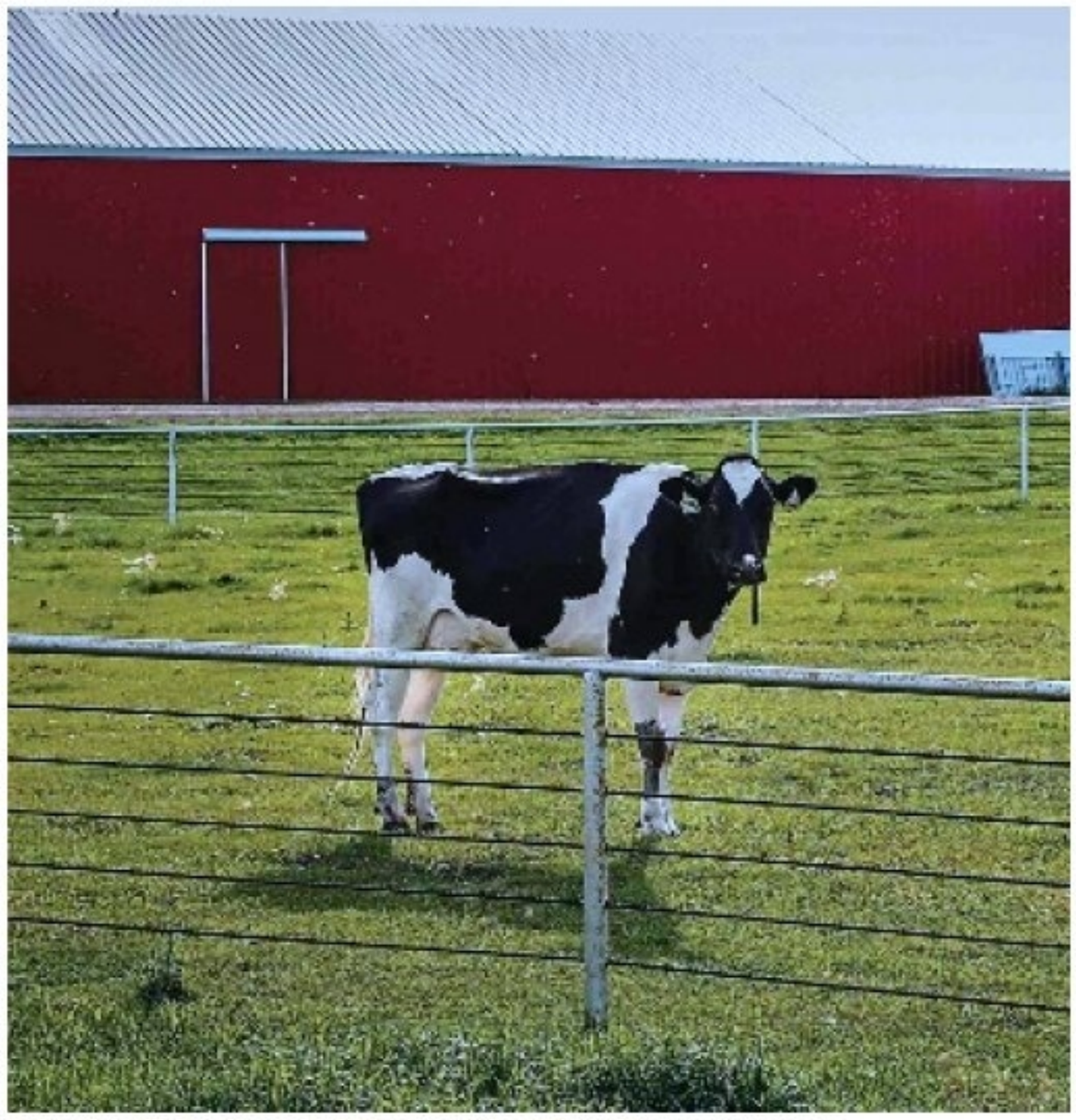

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GLOBAL EXPANSION

Tim Hortons planning to open coffee shops in Britain

Tim Hortons is continuing its international expansion with plans to open its first full-service coffee shops in Britain.

The company partnered with an investor to establish a master franchise joint venture company that will open the stores in England, Scotland and Wales.

In late July, Tim Hortons announced a similar agreement in the Philippines, which is the brand's first stop in Southeast Asia.

It did not specify how many stores it plans to open in Great Britain or when, but a spokesperson said in an email that it seeks to be a leader in the market.

Daniel Schwartz, CEO of Restaurant Brands International, said in a statement that the area is an attractive market with a strong and growing coffee culture.

RBI, the parent company of Tim Hortons and Burger King, is looking to grow Tim Hortons globally.

It reported its second quarter earnings earlier this month, which showed the number of Tim Hortons locations increased about three per cent to 4,464 stores in the quarter.

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LABOUR DISPUTE

Canada Post deal just 'peace treaty': Group

Canada Post and its employees have merely reached a "peace treaty" ahead of the busy holiday shopping season, the Canadian Federation of Independent Business warned, predicting long-term pain for the Crown corporation.

The agency will be forced to confront lost business, a massive pension shortfall and a parliamentary review of its operations in the coming years, it said after Canada Post reached tentative agreements with the Canadian Union of Postal Workers.

In the short term, the agreements will be good news for businesses that had been worried about how they were going to deliver goods to customers as the Christmas period approaches, said CFIB president Dan Kelly.

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ROSEMARY WESTWOOD
in Vancouver

It's common parlance in harm-reduction circles that every overdose is preventable. By that standard, B.C. is failing dramatically in the face of the fentanyl crisis.

This is the last in Rosemary's three-part series on the major issues facing Vancouver.

Speak to those at the front lines of the unprecedented drug overdoses hitting Vancouver and, if they've been around long enough, the 1990s will come up.

It was a decade of headline-grabbing O.D. deaths, peaking in 1998 when 417 people in B.C. died from illicit-drug overdoses.

But 2016 is shaping up to be far, far worse.

Already, at least 371 people have died in the province, a two-a-day rate that could translate into 800 deaths by year's end. The provincial health officer declared an emergency in April.

The highest-profile culprit is fentanyl, a viciously toxic synthetic opioid detected in 60 per cent of O.D. deaths this year and 86 per cent of drugs at Insite, Vancouver's safe-injection site. It's spreading across the country at an alarming pace.

"2015 was the first year the number, the rate, was above 1998," noted Dr. Jane Buxton, an epidemiologist and head of harm reduction for the B.C. Centre for Disease Control.

"I'm either so angry or so heartbroken," Ann Livingston, a long-time activist with the Vancouver Area Network of Drug Users (VANDU), told me. "I think, Oh my God. We went through this is in the '90s, and we lobbied like hell, and we got Insite, so there was some sense of moving forward. And now there seems to be even less action."

Why should death by overdose entail any less federal action than death by poisoned water, for instance?

It's a sentiment that might surprise anyone aware of the growing headlines on opioid overdoses across this country over the last two years, from Alberta's 270 fentanyl-related deaths in 2015, to a recent national investigation by the Globe and Mail, to this week's statement from Ontario police chiefs and community safety groups calling 2016 a record-breaking year for overdose alerts and warning that fentanyl is a "ticking time bomb."

People carry a coffin to remember overdose victims, during a procession on Overdose Awareness Day in the Downtown Eastside of Vancouver on Wednesday. THE CANADIAN PRESS

In response, both B.C. and Alberta have struck overdose task forces, and Manitoba has a fentanyl-awareness task force. The federal government has made naloxone — a life-saving anti-overdose drug — available without prescription nationally. The move is part of Health Canada's "Action on Opioid Misuse" plan, and yesterday, to mark International Overdose Day, the ministry announced it was "moving forward" with a plan to restrict six chemicals used to make fentanyl, citing RCMP reports of "an increase in domestic production" of the drug, which is also made in China and shipped into Canada.

But all this is not enough for Livingston. It's common parlance in harm-reduction circles that every overdose is preventable. By that standard, she says, B.C. is failing dramatically.

Buxton, the epidemiologist, notes that the province is trying to get naloxone into every hospital emergency department and every prison by the end of the, but Livingston believes such measures don't go far enough to combat a "perfect storm."

In her eyes, the explosion of fentanyl and related deaths is a symptom of ineffective drug, homelessness and policing policies. She cites insufficient or ineffective recovery programs; a clamp-down on opioid prescribing that drives those with addictions to street drugs; and lower welfare support for the homeless, which she argues leads greater numbers of drug users into jails, and thus raises their risk of post-release overdose.

And she blames the dearth of legal, publicly accessible safe-injection sites like Vancouver's Insite, still the only such facility in North America — a legacy of the Harper government, which fought the site all the way to a loss at the Supreme Court, and then legislated onerous rules that have curtailed efforts to duplicate Insite, and its undisputed public-health success, elsewhere.

Judging by the Liberal government's messaging, that could change. A year ago, on a campaign stop in Vancouver, Justin Trudeau told a crowd, "I certainly want to see more safe-injection sites opened around the country." In March, his health minister, Jane Philpott, told the CBC, "Sites like Insite in Vancouver and others like them have the possibility to save countless lives."

But possibility and reality are miles apart. And possibility is where many proposed sites — in Victoria, in Toronto, and five more in Vancouver — remain. While Canadians continue to die at alarming rates, the Liberal government has given no indication that undoing the Conservative legislation is a priority.

It is hard to view that as anything other than heel-dragging. Fentanyl is sweeping across the country like a disease outbreak, except those being killed are drug users, their deaths muted by stigma and prejudice.

"You know what will speed this up, I think?" Livingston told me. "Parents of kids who've died need to sue, right away. I tell ya, I would. Because it's part of this awful stigma. If you're a drug addict, you're supposed to be so ashamed of yourself that your life doesn't matter."

B.C. is already calling the fentanyl crisis what it is — a public-health emergency — and Ottawa needs to follow suit. Why should death by overdose entail any less federal action than death by poisoned water, for instance?

E-sports: Where women don't have to be scrubs

Samantha Emann
Metro | Toronto

The next big thing in arts and entertainment is competitive video-gaming. You might not realize it yet, but you soon will.

The biggest tournaments in "e-sports" — competitions involving games like League of Legends, Starcraft 2 and Counter Strike: Global Offensive (CS:GO) — draw audiences comparable to those of major mainstream sporting events. By 2019, according to market research, it will be a billion-dollar business, which is what the NHL was in about 1998.

Count on it: E-sports is going to be making people rich and famous. Women make up about half of non-pro gamers in North America, and women gamers have none of the physical disadvantages that have kept them out of traditional pro sports. Competitive gaming should be the first big-time sport in which men and women share equally in the glory and spoils.

But, right now, sponsors, advertisers and other stakeholders in the e-sports business are not looking at women as a viable demographic, either as players or consumers.

A woman in e-sports is "a small fish in a very large pond — a fish in a shark tank," said Laure Guilbert, a former manager for Team YP, which has teams competing in games like Street Fighter and League of Legends. She says the business side of the e-sports community needs to play catchup.

"There are not a lot of sponsors that are putting forward women as professional gamers," she said. "We can't force tournaments to include them if there are no teams to be included."

Stephanie Harvey is a Canadian and a five-time world champion in the popular team shooter CS:GO. She co-founded of Misscliks, an advocacy organization for women in e-sports and geek culture.

While all players face some taunting, she said, the abuse directed at women is different in that it's often about looks and sexuality, rather than skill and gameplay.

"Women are targeted even if there is no reason for them to be targeted," Harvey said. "For a man, he needs to have done something (in game) to be targeted. For women, just me being there."

This industry has already broken barriers and overcome stereotypes. It wasn't long ago that gamers were assumed to be white, male, heterosexual slackers who were socially inept and lived on a diet of Doritos and Mountain Dew. Now gaming's most recognizable celebrities are more diverse, and people of many different races, backgrounds and sexualities are represented.

As an avid gamer myself, I have so much respect for people like the proud geeks of misscliks, who show that women, who have always had a part to play in the gaming community, will continue to fight for their rightful share of this industry and its expanding rewards.

I have had many a ranking marathon and encountered my fair share of trolls but I look forward to being a part of the progress and growth of this burgeoning scene. We were there in the Dorito Dark Ages and we'll be there in the E-Sports Night in Canada future.

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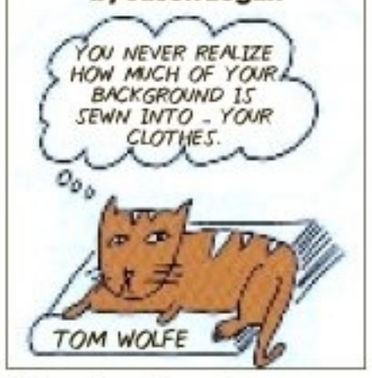

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Richard Crouse
For Metro Canada

Despite laying the foundation for the wildly popular Marvel Universe, Stan Lee says he is no superhero specialist.

"I'm not an expert of any sort," says the 93-year-old on the line from his Los Angeles office.

"I really try to think of stories that I myself would like to read. I never try to write for a certain segment of the readership. I write for myself and I hope that I'm not that unusual. If I like it other people might also like it."

When it came to naming his characters he had an unusual habit of using alliteration — think Peter Parker, Bruce Banner, Matt Murdoch and Reed Richards — for a very practical reason.

"It's because I have a bad memory," he says. "If I could remember one of the names like Spider-Man, if I could remember his first name was Peter then I knew his second name began with a P. That is really the only reason. I have a terrible memory for names and by making the first and second letter the same, if I thought of one name I had a clue as to what the other was."

Lee, who will appear at Fan Expo in Toronto this weekend in what is being billed as his last Canadian appearance, enjoys superstar status. But he is humble when asked about his legacy. "I didn't go out of my way to be enduring," he says.

In fact, when he began writing comic books over 70 years ago, "I was just hoping that somebody would buy them so I could keep my job and be able to pay the rent. In a million years I wouldn't have thought I'd be travelling around the country, talking to people like you about the comics.

"I just hope that maybe I brought some enjoyment to people, and they enjoyed reading the stories."

And they have. Bolstered by passionate fans — or True Believers as Lee calls them — support for Lee's work has endured in the form of movies, video games, books and on hundreds of comment boards where aficionados pit superhero against superhero in epic make-believe battles and argue over who would emerge victorious. Lee, however, claims he doesn't have a preferred character.

I think of myself as being like Tony Stark because he's glamorous and intelligent and handsome
Stan Lee

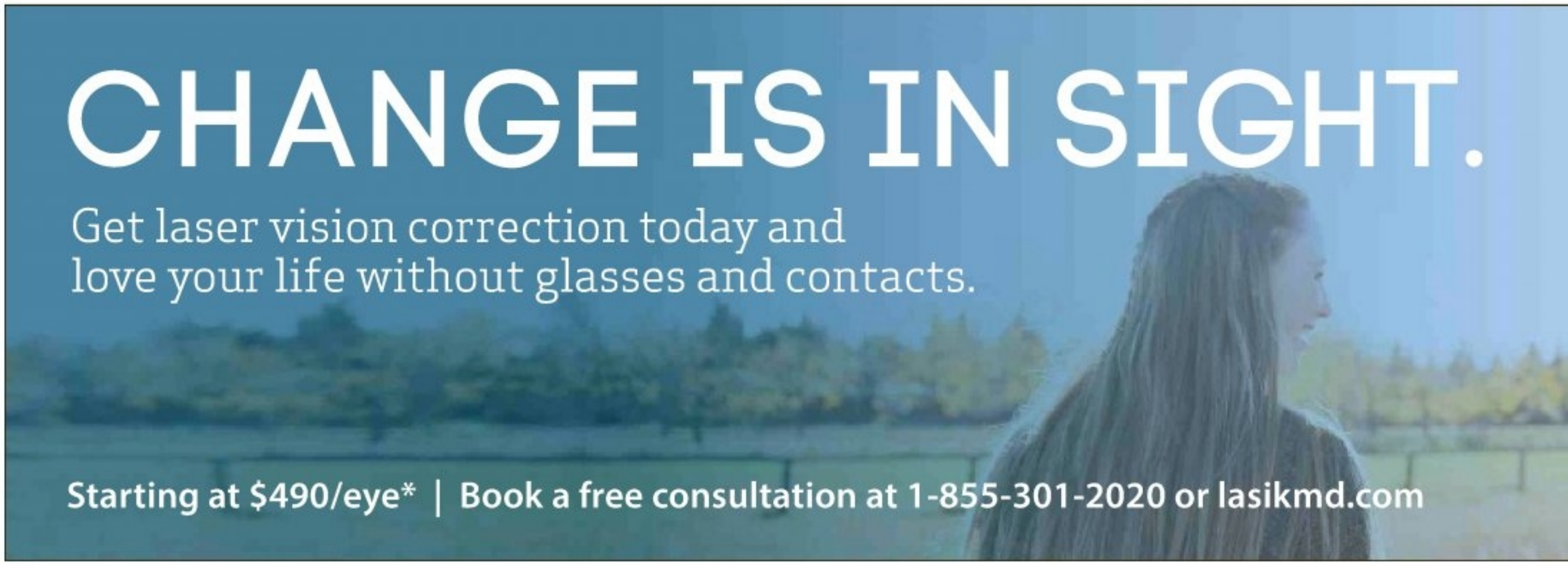
"People expect me to have a favourite," he says, "so I always say Spider-Man because that's what they expect. I'm really not good at favourites. I really love them all."

So out of Spider-Man, Hulk, Professor X or any of the other 300 or so characters he created, who does he most relate to?

"Of course I think of myself as being like Tony Stark because he's glamorous and intelligent and handsome," he laughs.

"But seriously I think there is a little bit of everybody in all these characters. I think that's why them seem to be popular. I tried to give them all hang-ups and weaknesses. None of them are really perfect. They are just like regular people, I hope."

Stan Lee says he has a bad memory — that's why he employed alliteration to his characters' names like **Peter Parker, Matt Murdoch** and **Bruce Banner**, he tells Metro. GETTY IMAGES

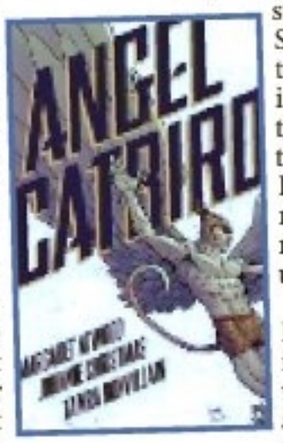


INTERVIEW

Comic book diversity doesn't worry Atwood

In Margaret Atwood's new graphic novel series Angel Catbird, even the hero's pants have an origin story.

Choosing from a selection of six bottoms, as illustrated by Johnnie Christmas, the author settled on a feathery brown pair with a red waistband: "Very simple; leathery; attractive," Atwood tells Metro.



In the comic, set for release Sept. 6., the title character's alter-ego Strig Feleedus receives the pants as a gift from his love interest and fellow part-cat-part-human, Cate Leone.

"It's the Superman problem: where does he get the outfit? Does he have it on all the time, under his suit? So we went with an origin story for the pants. All of these things have to be considered because inquiring minds will ask," Atwood says about the level of detail required when putting together the series, which will see Vol. 2 released in February.

Angel Catbird is a superhero with a conflicted identity — when he sees a chick threatened by a cat, he places it back in the nest rather than join in on the pounce. In a partnership with Nature Canada, the book is peppered with statistics on the dangers outdoor cats face, as well as how they contribute to bird deaths and the environmental impact of declining songbird populations.

Atwood has long been a fan of comics, especially ones with a message — even Walt Kelly's Pogo was political in its day, she says.

"There's a classic from the '90s called Blacksad, it's a cat and he's a noir detective...it's quite wonderful but it's about race politics in the States," she says.

Now, the genre is more diverse than ever, and niche audiences are helping give rise to "really complex, interesting, immersive stories," she says.

Strong female characters are being increasingly represented in the community, and they're given storylines that are more racy than those in the mainstream Marvel universe.

"There's one called Lady Killer, which is a '50s housewife who doubles as an assassin. It's pretty funny. Then there's one called Bitch Planet," says Atwood.

Atwood was impressed with this diversity when she attended San Diego Comic Con in July (she is also slated to attend Fan Expo Canada on Saturday.)

"What we're having in comics is what happened in television a while ago, and in books probably around the turn of the century or earlier," she says.

If there is a void, it's being filled very quickly, she adds. There are comic publishers devoted entirely to LGBTQAI themes.

"There's one called Mama Tits Saves the World, in which Mama Tits is a drag queen. But she doesn't have a back story yet so I'd like to hear the backstory of how Mama Tits became Mama Tits." MELITA KUBURAS/METRO

The trickle-down effect of sexual assault cases

THE BEST KIND OF PEOPLE

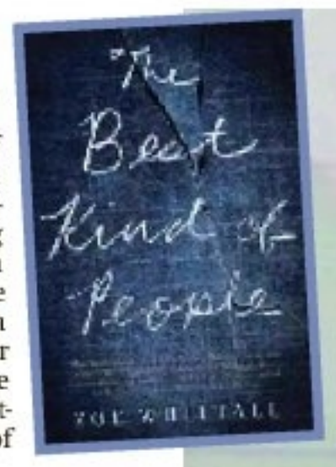
High-profile affairs in the media inspire crime novel

Sue Carter
For Metro Canada

If there is any glimmer of a bright side to be found in high-profile sexual assault stories such as Jian Ghomeshi's trial and the accusations against Bill Cosby and former Fox News chairman Roger Ailes, it's that discussion about rape culture and consent has opened up in an unprecedented way.

But one conversation that rarely gets touched in the media frenzy is the effect these crimes have on the families and loved ones of the accused. That sensitive subject is at the heart of award-winning Toronto author and poet Zoe Whittall's provocative new novel, The Best Kind of People.

Set in a sleepy Connecticut town, George Woodbury — local hero and perennial winner of the teacher of the year award — is charged with sexual misconduct and attempted rape of several students at his school, where his daughter Sadie also attends. As the story shifts perspectives, Whittall goes deep inside the heads of Sadie, her brother Andrew, and George's wife Joan, as they struggle to both defend their family's patriarch and their growing doubts over his innocence.



The genesis of the novel came in 2009 when Whittall was listening to an interview on CBC Radio's The Current about a support group for women who decide to remain with partners convicted of sex crimes.

"I was completely occupied by the idea that anyone would want to stay with someone through such a thing," she says. Initially, Whittall wanted Joan to be fully aware of her husband's crimes, but as the story evolved, she decided to complicate the emotional plotline by having the character deal with questions over her husband's story and her mixed feelings about staying with him.

Whittall says that when she started writing the first draft it was tough for her to have empathy for Joan, but in the end it was Sadie's character that proved to be the biggest challenge.

"Talking to teenagers and parents of teenagers now, they're so much more sophisticated then I was at that age, and the idea of consent has changed so much since then," she says. "It was really interesting to write Sadie and accurately portray the confusion she would be feeling, and the level of knowledge and intelligence she would have."

Toronto author and poet Zoe Whittall says she was "absolutely glued" to the coverage of the Ghomeshi and Steubenville High School assault trials. HANDOUT

Like so many others, Whittall was "absolutely glued" to the coverage of the Ghomeshi and Steubenville High School assault trials, but was careful not to dominate the narrative with her own opinions.

"There were a number of drafts where I was just blurting it all out. The heavy-handed 40-year-old feminist voice in my mind would come out and I'd have to pull back and say, 'That's me,'" Whittall says. "I tried to develop those characters so they'd be realistic and different from each other and not didactic in any way."

Ultimately, The Best Kind of People does not offer any easy solutions or lessons, and its twisted but ambiguous ending is a reminder that for the Woodbury family and others, the story doesn't die once the media loses interest.

Chomsky responds to Wolfe's portrayal

KINGDOM OF SPEECH

Book does not depict linguist too favourably

After satirizing everything from "radical chic" to 20th century architecture, Tom Wolfe is now mining the mystery of language and the reputation of the most influential linguist of our time, Noam Chomsky. Chomsky, in turn, has some thoughts about Wolfe, the celebrated New Journalist and author.

In his new book, The Kingdom of Speech, Wolfe examines how scholars have attempted to discern the roots of verbal communication. He reviews the debates between Charles Darwin, who likened speech to the "sounds uttered by birds," and other 19th century evolutionists. He notes how modern understanding centres on Chomsky's revolutionary theory that humans have an innate knowledge of language.

Wolfe duly acknowledges Chomsky's breakthrough, but sees a man so used to dominance in his field that he scorns or evades those who challenge his research.

He also suggests his stature as a linguist is tied to his years as an activist and left-wing thinker. He cites Chomsky's 1967 publication The Responsibility of Intellectuals, a landmark essay in The New York Review of Books that assailed the Vietnam War and accused intellectuals of failing "to speak the truth and to expose lies."

The timing was absolutely perfect, according to Wolfe.

"Chomsky's audacity and his Old World, Eastern European slant on life were things most intellectuals found charming, since by then, 1967, opposition to the war in Vietnam had become something stronger than a passion ... namely, a fashion, a certification that one had risen above the herd," he writes.

"Chomsky's politics enhanced his reputation as a great linguist, and his reputation as a great linguist enhanced his reputation as a political solon, and his reputation as a political solon inflated his reputation from great linguist to an all-around genius, and the genius inflated the solon into a veritable Voltaire, and the veritable Voltaire inflated the genius of geniuses into a philosophical giant ... Noam Chomsky."

Chomsky, a professor emeritus at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says that that he read an excerpt of the book in Harper's magazine and found "egregious errors."

He dismissed Wolfe's portrait of himself and other MIT faculty members as captives of air-conditioned campus buildings, uninterested in field work or new ideas. He strongly questioned Wolfe's grasp of linguistics. And he objected to Wolfe's suggestion that he was an activist who "arranges to get arrested in the morning so that he can get out in time to make it to New York nightspots to show off his bravery," Chomsky told the AP.

"I'm sure Wolfe would very much enjoy a few days in the Washington cell block or facing a likely long prison sentence, not to speak of constant demonstrations, half a dozen or more talks a day to all sorts of groups, meetings to plan serious resistance activities, extensive travel for talks and demonstrations, enjoying the pleasures of teargassing and mace, organizing national tax resistance, and a lot more that constitutes real activism," Chomsky said.

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In The Kingdom of Speech, Tom Wolfe (above) sees Noam Chomsky as a man who scorns or evades those who challenge his research in linguistics. AP PHOTO

GRAPHIC NOVEL

Gotham Academy: An all-ages comic

Mike Donachie
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Gotham Academy Annual #1
BY: Becky Cloonan, Brendan Fletcher and Karl Kerschl
PUBLISHER: DC Comics

Anyone who hasn't been picking up Gotham Academy needs to learn all about it right now. This week, the title gets its first-ever annual, and it's the perfect place to join the class.

This self-contained story will bring you up to speed on the school friends in the Detective Club who investigate weird happenings in their old, crumbling school. Oh, and that school is in Gotham City, so familiar figures pop up everywhere and the secrets are linked to Batman's huge stable of enemies and allies.

Becky Cloonan, rightly a star of comic books, is doing superb character work on Gotham Academy, and Karl Kerschl's art — with an unusually accessible style for something set in Gotham — is a big part of it.

This is an all-ages comic that all ages really can enjoy.

If you like this, there are two reprint books available, so going right back to the start is easy, and this new annual is designed as a jumping-on point ahead of the next part, Gotham Academy: Second Semester.

JOHANNA SCHNELLER WHAT I'M WATCHING

A perfume ad that celebrates being free

THE SHOW: Kenzo World commercial (YouTube)
THE MOMENT: The look into the camera

A beauty in a green gown (Margaret Qualley, The Leftovers) excuses herself from a dull dinner and steps into a grand hallway (it seems to be Manhattan's Lincoln Center). She wipes away a tear. Then her eyes lock onto the camera. Intoxicating music (Sam Spiegel) begins to play. And she's off.

For three minutes, Qualley kicks, punches, twitches, shakes and prances. She makes faces in mirrors, dominates a man on his cellphone, shoots lasers from her fingers. Finally she leaps outside, flies through a huge eye made of flowers, and pounds her chest like Tarzan.

If Kenzo's dictum to this spot's director, Spike Jonze (Her), and its choreographer, Ryan Heffington (Sia's Chandelier), was, "Expensive but rebellious," they got their money's worth. Interestingly, we never see the perfume. More interesting: There's no suggestion of romance or seduction.

Typically, perfume ads imply, "Wear this to win him." But a growing number of spots feature women who are fiercely solo: Charlize Theron striding Versailles in a J'Adore Dior ad by Jean-Jacques Annaud (Seven Years in Tibet). Keira Knightley running away from suitors in two Coco Mademoiselle spots from Joe Wright (Atonement). Pixies bowling with bottles of Chance.

Qualley, who's 21 (deliberately young for a spokesmodel), outrocks them all, with contorted expressions and spastic movements meant to defy prettiness. That look she gives the camera (Jonze used the same device in his 2001 video for Weapon of Choice, with Christopher Walken) stakes her claim: No male gaze here. She's wild, she's free, and if she wears World, it's for herself.

Margaret Qualley, the star of the new Kenzo World commercial, moves in spastic ways meant to defy pretty. CONTRIBUTED

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Rihanna's L.A. mansion can be rented out for $100,000 U.S. a month

MEET THE CONDO

Modern elegance

CANOE AT AUBURN BAY

CONTRIBUTED

Project overview

Canoe homes offer bright modern elements such as flat-panel cabinetry, glass tile backsplashes, personalized built-in options and comfortable living. There is a titled underground parking spot for every homeowner and wrap-around balconies and oversized windows.

Housing amenities

Canoe will have 158 units in two buildings and the building itself features connective walkways lined by hundreds of trees, which will take homeowners to the future LRT station and retail plaza next door. A rustic lake-inspired courtyard features a custom fire pit for social gatherings.

Location and transit

One of the most unique features of this project is the walkway that will take residents to the future LRT station, but there are several bus routes in the community as well as access to Stoney Trail, Deerfoot Trail and McLeod Trail. Canoe is also walking distance from neighbourhood amenities.

In the neighbourhood

Auburn Bay is a fast-growing southeast community because of its proximity to amenities, major roadways and green space. Amenities include access to Auburn Lake, parks, numerous retail outlets and restaurants and the new Seton Hospital is located in the neighbouring community.

KRISTA SYLVESTER/FOR METRO

NEED TO KNOW

What: Canoe at Auburn Bay
Builder: Avi Urban
Architect: AV Architecture
Location: 25 Auburn Meadows Avenue S.E
Building: Four-storey wood frame condo building
Sizes: 562 to 1,017 sq. ft.
Pricing: From the low $200's
Suites: One bed, one bed with den and two bedroom apartment-style condos
Status: Selling final homes
Sales Centre: 103 Auburn Meadows Drive S.E
Phone: 403-536-7282
Website: aviurban.com/canoe
Email: canoe@homesbyavi.com

REAL ESTATE

What's hot on the market

1 FINAL RELEASE

The River by 26th Avenue River Investments Inc.: This 38-home boutique collection of luxury living gets it's name from its proximity to the Elbow River in Mission. Located at 135 26th Avenue S.W, you have to book a private tour for this condo at therivercalgary.com.

2 PRE-CONSTRUCTION

The Orchard by Lamb Developments Corp.: Located in the redeveloping community of Victoria Park, The Orchard will feature 66 apple trees that add beautiful colour and green space to the area. This project is walking distance from the downtown core, the Saddledome and the C-train. Check out the Sales Centre at 602 – 608 12th Ave S.E.

3 UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Lido by Battistella: Named after the now defunct community diner, Lido is an 8-storey condo tower located in the heart of Kensington. The project also features a boutique hotel, an entire level of public underground parking and retail shopping. Check out the Presentation Centre at 1120 Kensington Road N.W. KRISTA SYLVESTER/FOR METRO

CORRECTION

Last week's Meet the Condo featuring The Mark 101 Condos contained incorrect pricing information. The condos start at $184,900. Metro regrets the error.

Capture end-of-summer sounds

DIY

Homemade wind chime in five steps

Bring tranquil sounds to your outdoor space with a wind chime made from simple elements such as copper, brass and wood. In Feng Shui, wind chimes are said to bring good luck and fortune to a home.

It's a breeze to make and the gentle chime and tinkling of metal against wood creates a relaxing environment. Whether you have a balcony or a breezy backyard it takes up little space and helps drown out all that urban noise.

Step 1: Gather the supplies
We used thin metal sheets purchased from an art supply store, but you could also use metal bells.

You could also consider using small pieces of driftwood, sea glass or shells collected from a beach holiday — just drill a small hole through each to hang.

You'll need:
- Large brass ring
- Small brass rings
- Copper metal sheet
- Wooden beads
- Leather lace or strip
- Fishing wire or very thin metal wire
- Scissors
- Hammer
- Flat head nail
- Scrap wood
- Metal snips
- Safety gloves and glasses

Step 2: Loop it
Loop a strip of leather through the brass hoop. Add the wooden bead, knotting it at the top.

Step 3: Cut out metal shapes.
Using metal snips, cut out shapes from the copper metal sheets.

Make sure you wear safety glasses and protect your hands from the sharp metal edges by wearing gloves.

Step 4: Pierce holes
Place the metal shape on a hard, level, wooden surface. Hold a flat head nail on the metal shape and hammer the nail through the metal.

It will take some effort to pierce a hole through the metal. Watch your fingers!

Step 5: Put together.
Use fishing wire or very thin metal wire to string the metal shapes and wooden beads from the brass ring. These were strung fairly randomly onto the brass ring checking occasionally to make sure that the objects had contact with each other.

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Make your own wind chime to bring soothing sounds to your backyard — or just go buy one of the ones we found.
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Following the lead of the World Anti-Doping Agency, the NHL has added meldonium to its list of banned substances

MLB A GRAND SALAMI AND AN ICE-COLD DRINK Carlos Gomez is showered with Powerade after the Texas Rangers beat the Seattle Mariners 14-1 on Wednesday in Arlington, Texas. Rougned Odor homered twice one day after hitting a game-ending shot and Gomez connected for a grand slam off Mariners starter Felix Hernandez as the Rangers completed a three-game sweep. Texas has an American League-best record of 80-54. TOM PENNINGTON/GETTY IMAGES

MLB

Blue Jays take 2 out of 3 against Orioles

In Baltimore

5	3
BLUE JAYS	ORIOLES

Jose Bautista homered on the game's first pitch and Russell Martin went deep four batters later in support of Aaron Sanchez, leading the Blue Jays to a 5-3 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Wednesday night.

Toronto took two of the three games in the pivotal American League East series. The fading Orioles are four games behind the first-place Blue Jays and are tied with Detroit for the second wild-card spot.

Sanchez (13-2) was recalled from Class-A Dunedin to make the start. He spent 10 days in the minors to limit his innings and he took advantage of the extra rest. Sanchez allowed an unearned run and five hits with two strikeouts over six innings and a season-high 112 pitches.

Michael Saunders hit his 23rd homer, a solo shot in the eighth that made it 5-1.

Jonathan Schoop hit a two-run home run in the bottom of the ninth off Roberto Osuna to cap the scoring. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CFL

Last-second field goal sinks Argos

In Toronto

16	13
LIONS	ARGOS

Richie Leone's 30-yard field goal as time expired earned the B.C. Lions an exciting 16-13 win over the Toronto Argonauts on a breezy Wednesday night, spoiling Ricky Ray's return.

Ray was back for Toronto after missing three starts with a knee injury. He opened the game impressively, completing his first 14 passes, as the two teams took turns playing with and against a brisk 17 km/h wind.

But it was B.C. quarterback Jonathon Jennings who marched the Lions 61 yards on 10 plays, setting up Leone's game-winning boot. Jennings finished 20 of 29 passing for 188 yards and an interception.

Ray was 24 of 29 passing for 213 yards, with a TD and interception before an energetic BMO Field gathering of 17,509 — the Argos' second-highest attendance this season. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Raonic suffers major upset in 2nd round

U.S. OPEN

Big serve lets Canuck down

Milos Raonic didn't have his main weapon ready to bail him out at Flushing Meadows.

The fifth-seeded Raonic crashed out of the U.S. Open in the second round Wednesday, losing 6-7 (4), 7-5, 7-5, 6-1 to Ryan Harrison, a qualifier from the United States ranked only 120th.

Ryan Harrison GETTY IMAGES

Raonic had problems holding serve, usually a strength for the six-foot-five Canadian, and double faulted 15 times. Raonic looked defeated after Harrison broke for the fifth time to win the third set.

"I didn't serve well to start this tournament and that's normally my go-to that can keep me out of situations," said Raonic.

"I think that added a little bit more (stress) than I normally have to deal with and I think that caught up to me throughout that match."

Milos Raonic leaves the court after being eliminated from the U.S. Open on Wednesday. TIMOTHY A. CLARY/AFP/GETTY IMAGES

The American broke Raonic seven times on 18 chances to improve to 2-1 in the career head-to-head series between the players.

Raonic still managed to fire 18 aces. But he also made 66 unforced errors to Harrison's 33 and only converted three of 19 break-point opportunities.

The product of Thornhill, Ont., didn't feel 100 per cent for most of the match. He said it was more than just some cramping that altered his play.

"Numerous things — left arm, right forearm towards the end of the third set, both quads, hip flexor on the left," said Raonic.

"Really painful cramps started to pass in the third set but then I got small ones where I couldn't hold the racket and switch grips from one shot to the next."

Harrison will face Marcos Baghdatis of Cyprus in the next round.

With Raonic's unexpected early exit, there are no Canadians left in the singles draws.

Earlier in the day, Vancouver's Vasek Pospisil was eliminated after a 7-6 (3), 6-4, 6-4 loss to 23rd-seed Kevin Anderson of South Africa.

Pospisil struggled in singles play at Grand Slam events this year, with his only victory at a major coming Monday when he defeated Jozef Kovalik 6-1, 6-3, 6-3. THE CANADIAN PRESS

IN BRIEF

Harrison and others cleared in PED probe

NFL stars James Harrison, Clay Matthews and Julius Peppers can start the regular season without having the spectre of a league investigation over whether they used performance-enhancing drugs hanging over their heads.

The NFL cleared all three players on Wednesday, saying there was "no credible evidence" the players were guilty of any of the claims made in a documentary by Al-Jazeera America in January. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

It's nice to just step back and skate on my own.

Patrick Chan said he isn't ready to hire a new coach. He has been without a coach since Kathy Johnson announced her resignation last week.

EUROPEAN SOCCER TRANSFER DEADLINE ROUNDUP

Balotelli headed to France
Liverpool has off-loaded Mario Balotelli to French club Nice, two years after signing the troubled striker.

Wilshere to join Cherries
Jack Wilshere has left Arsenal for a season-long loan to Bournemouth in a bid to revive an injury-stalled career.

Chelsea secure left flank
Fiorentina says it has sold left back Marcos Alonso to Chelsea for a reported 23 million pounds ($30.2 million).

Luiz back to the Bridge
David Luiz is set to return to Chelsea under new coach Antonio Conte after two years at Paris Saint-Germain.

Man City loan out trio
Manchester City's clear-out after an off-season of heavy spending has seen striker Wilfried Bony (Stoke) join Joe Hart (Torino) and Samir Nasri (Sevilla) in going out on loan from the English club.
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Canada returns to Honduras haunts

WORLD CUP QUALIFIER

Les Rouges attempting to exorcise ghosts of 8-1 pasting

Nearly four years on from a spectacular humiliation, Canada's men's soccer team returns to Honduras with its World Cup qualifying hopes once again hanging in the balance.

Canada needed just a tie with Honduras at the Estadio Olimpico Metropolitano on Oct. 16, 2012 to advance to the final round of CONCACAF qualifying for the 2014 World Cup. Instead they capitulated in spectacular fashion, losing 8-1 in a historic setback for the Canadian men's program.

Once again, Canada is in position to qualify for the final round, known as the hex. The Canadians take on Honduras on Friday before returning home to host El Salvador at BC Place in Vancouver to conclude the penultimate round.

"It's probably the biggest game since the last time we said this four years ago against Honduras so it's massive and it's just about getting the three points," defender/midfielder David Edgar said.

"It's going to be a vicious atmosphere ... it's just about getting our heads down and getting on with it."

Head coach Benito Floro took the reins full time in 2013 after Stephen Hart's resignation following the 8-1 debacle.

With Honduras expected to be buoyed by the home field advantage, this will be the ultimate test of Floro's team's three years of work.

Everything about playing in Honduras is intimidating. It's hot, and when it rains it can come in buckets. Organizers have scheduled the game for the middle of the afternoon to maximize the blistering Central American sun.

With Friday being an unofficial national holiday, upwards of 40,000 fans could pack the stadium early and down the Canadians' backs.

But where there's hostility, Edgar sees possibility.

"They're a very good crowd but they also had a lot to cheer about last time," he said. "If we score away or in any part of the game they can get on the home team's back just as easily."
THE CANADIAN PRESS

Canada striker Cyle Larin and head coach Benito Floro.
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CFL

Riders criticized for Mitchell signing

The Roughriders have signed controversial defensive lineman Khalif Mitchell to their practice roster, drawing criticism from Canadian Jewish organizations.

Mitchell hasn't played since being released by the Montreal Alouettes in June 2015, a month after he was fined for violating the CFL's social media policy with anti-Semitic posts on Twitter, which included a link to a Holocaust denial video.

At the time, he apologized in a joint statement by the CFLPA and B'nai Brith Canada, saying it was "a learning moment for me."

Mitchell agreed to work with B'nai Brith, a Jewish human rights organization, to "educate myself about this and other human rights matters."

Shimon Koffler Fogel, CEO of the Centre for Israel and Jewish Affairs, said Wednesday there is no evidence Mitchell has learned from his mistakes.

Khalif Mitchell
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"We are deeply troubled that Mitchell is continuing to spread messages of hate against the Jewish people," he said in a statement. "Clearly, Mitchell has not learned from his past mistakes. We have engaged with the CFL and the Saskatchewan Roughriders and they have assured us they are investigating."

The CIJA included screenshots of several recent retweets from Mitchell that it deemed troubling. THE CANADIAN PRESS

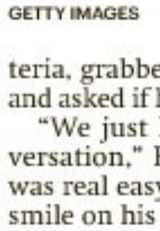
NCAA FOOTBALL

FSU receiver gives lonely kid a friend

For one day, a mother says, she didn't have to worry about her autistic son eating lunch by himself.

A small gesture of kindness by Florida State University wide receiver Travis Rudolph — captured in a photo and shared on Facebook — had tears streaming down the face of the sixth-grader's mother, Leah Paske.

"I'm not sure what exactly made this incredibly kind man share a lunch table with my son, but I'm happy to say it will not soon be forgotten," she wrote. "This is one day I didn't have to worry if my sweet boy ate lunch alone."


Travis Rudolph
GETTY IMAGES

Rudolph was among several FSU players visiting a middle school in Tallahassee Tuesday when he saw Bo Paske sitting alone in the cafeteria, grabbed a slice of pizza and asked if he could join him.

"We just had a great conversation," Rudolph said. "It was real easy ... he had a nice smile on his face. Just a really warm person."
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IN BRIEF

More NCAA concussion lawsuits filed in Chicago
The latest round of class-action concussion lawsuits against the NCAA and major college football conferences were filed by former college football players from Florida State, Miami, Florida, Mississippi State, Kentucky, Louisville and Murray State.

The lawsuits were filed in federal courts Wednesday by Chicago-based attorney Jay Edelson. The seven lawsuits increase the total number to 22 filed since May.

Wheeler gets Jets' 'C'
Blake Wheeler's 30th birthday presents included a "C" on his Winnipeg Jets jersey.

Wheeler, a veteran of eight NHL campaigns, was named captain of the Jets on Wednesday after three seasons as an alternate.

He takes over from Andrew Ladd, who was traded to Chicago in February and then signed with the New York Islanders earlier this summer.
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RECIPE Thai Chicken Curry

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Ceri Marsh & Laura Keogh
For Metro Can

Give takeout a rest and whip up your own Thai-style curry, rich with coconut and peanut butter.

Ready in 35 minutes
Prep time: 5 minutes
Cook time: 30 minutes
Serves 4 to 6

Ingredients
- 3 Tbsp vegetable or coconut oil
- 3 Tbsp curry paste
- Pinch ground cumin and ground coriander
- 1 1/2 cups (350 ml) coconut milk
- 1 1/2 lb (750g) chicken thighs or breasts, cut into chunks
- 2 Tbsp sugar
- 2 Tbsp fish sauce
- 1 Tbsp lime leaves (optional)
- 2 Tbsp peanut butter
- Pinch salt
- Fresh coriander, chopped
- Lime wedges, to serve

Directions

1. Heat oil in large frying pan. Fry curry paste and spices for a couple of minutes.

2. Add 1/3 of the coconut milk and reduce the heat. Add the chicken and stir until the spices and milk combine.

3. Add the remaining coconut milk then stir in the sugar, fish sauce and lime leaves. Bring the sauce to the boil, simmer for a few minutes then add the peanut butter and salt.

4. Simmer 20 minutes. Garnish with the chopped coriander and serve with the lime wedges.

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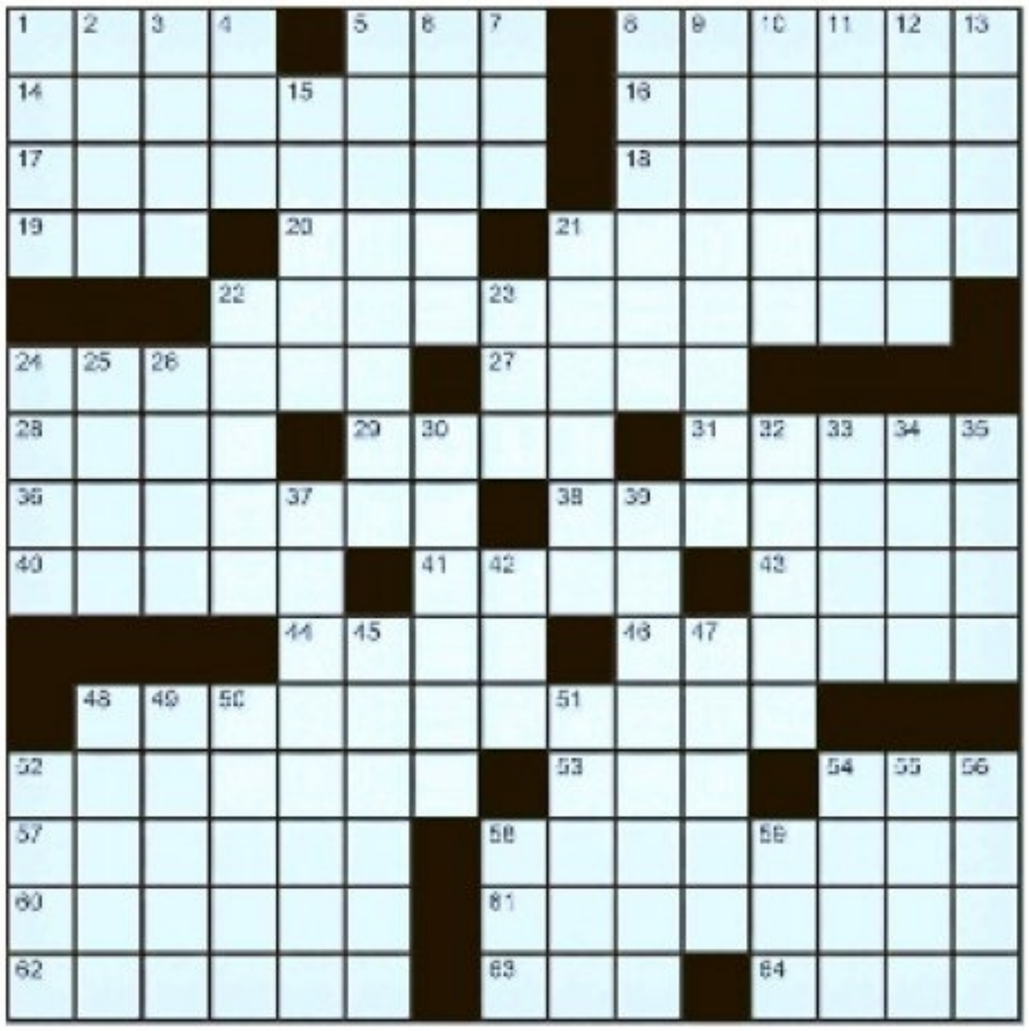
CROSSWORD Canada Across and Down

BY KELLY ANN BUCHANAN



ACROSS
1. Small amount that'll do ya: 2 wds.
5. Big hurricane, __. 5
8. Diving-into-water sight/sound!
14. Canadian sportscaster Brian
16. Prophet
17. Maxwell House is good to the what?: 2 wds.
18. Ancient inhabitant of Crete
19. __-Caps (Candy)
20. Payer's pledge
21. Anthony Hopkins/Emma Thompson movie, The __ of the Day (1993)
22. Canada's brand new AM show on CTV: 2 wds.
24. Director/producer J.J.
27. Emulate Tyra Banks
28. Shakespearean King
29. Real
31. Satisfies
36. Birthplace of Jesus' Bible follower Mary
38. Capture in a trap
40. Also, in Abitibi
41. Well-__-__ (Wealthy)
43. Corn lily
44. Winnebago owner, informally
46. Bathroom bowls
48. Mary-Louise Parker starred in the 2007 movie version of this 1993 Margaret Atwood novel, with The: 2 wds.
52. Describes, as a journalist
53. Chicken __ King
54. Stinker
57. Do the opposite of #49-Down: 2 wds.
58. Hidden trap activator: 2 wds.
60. __ populaire (Type of financial institution, such as in Quebec)
61. Movie milieus
62. EDM pianos
63. Weep
64. __ Squad (Best Buy's techie support providers)

DOWN
1. Cobbler's hand tools
2. Gorillas in the Mist (1988) true-life character Ms. Fossey
3. Moreover
4. Caf' sandwich
5. Quaint amusement park ride
6. Stevie Wonder's My Cherie __
7. Sugar amt.
8. Three's Company star Suzanne
9. State of being strait-laced
10. Hawaiian-style veranda
11. Q. "What's the Loonie?" A. "Why, it's __ of Canada!"
12. 'Phat' for Fantastic
13. Rhyming animals for Affleck and Stiller
15. 'Burn the midnight oil', for example
21. Securely settled in soil
22. Grass sods locations
23. US hwy. speed
24. City in Quebec
25. Boyfriend
26. Car washing needs
30. Provides food at wedding receptions
32. Fennel-like flavour
33. Cab
34. One of The Waltons
35. Navigated waters
37. Perfect a celebrity's image
39. Hereditary titles class
42. Sphere
45. Chevrolet sports cars, e.g.
47. Conform
48. Clear debt
49. Choose to partake: 2 wds.
50. Hike up
51. Less common
52. Birds of myth
54. Have a meal
55. Compel
56. Escritoire
58. QVC equivalent in Canada
59. Hairpiece

IT'S ALL IN THE STARS Your daily horoscope by Francis Drake

Aries March 21 - April 20
Things might be dicey when dealing with bosses at work today. Knowing this ahead of time, don't make an issue of things. You cannot push the river.

Taurus April 21 - May 21
Parents will have to be patient with kids today. (Sometimes it's all a bit much.) Likewise, romantic partners will have to be patient with each other. (Again, it's a bit much.)

Gemini May 22 - June 21
Someone in a position of authority might block your wishes today, especially regarding family issues. Don't make a big deal about anything. It's not worth it.

Cancer June 22 - July 23
Avoid arguments with others, especially with siblings, relatives and neighbors. It will be hard for you to stick up for yourself, because others are intimidating today.

Leo July 24 - Aug. 23
Financial squabbles are likely today. Don't go up against others, especially if they have authority or power. Keep a low profile.

Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
Today is somewhat restrictive and possibly even depressing. This is why you want to break free from your rut but feel you cannot. Easy does it. Wait till tomorrow!

Libra Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
It seems others just get in your way today, no matter what you do. Naturally, you feel frustrated. Nevertheless, be courteous.

Scorpio Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
Group plans or an interaction with a friend will be stymied today, possibly because of financial limitations. You can't win them all.

Sagittarius Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
You cannot escape the duties and responsibilities that others demand of you today, even though you don't want to deliver. Just suck it up and face the facts.

Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
Authority figures related to politics, religion or the government might be challenging. Toe the line.

Aquarius Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
You have to pay your dues and carry your fair share when it comes to group activities. This might seem onerous; however, it is what it is.

Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
Relations with parents and bosses are dicey today, because they will interfere with what you want to do. The fact is, you cannot get your way. However, this is just a temporary setback, because tomorrow is a fabulous day!

CONCEPTIS SUDOKU by Dave Green

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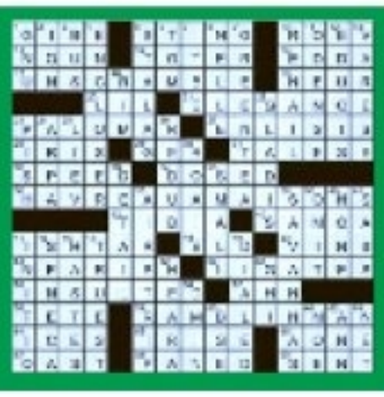

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